

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Crocker et al.

Title: Nanometer-Scale Engineered Structures...

Appl. No.: 10/689,547

Filing Date: 10/21/2003

Examiner: Ruggles

Art Unit: 1756

RULE 116 AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Applicants respond to the January 19, 2007 Final Office Action, the June 7, 2007 Advisory Action, and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated June 7, 2007, and also petition for a third month extension of time to maintain the pendency of the application in lieu of filing a Request for Continued Examination and fee.

Specification amendments begin on page 2.

Claim amendments begin on page 5.

Remarks begin on page 12.